

AN ACT

ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions relating to pseudoephedrine, ephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine sales.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

Section 1. That § 34-20D-8 be amended to read as follows:

34-20D-8. If offering for sale a product containing pseudoephedrine, ephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine as an active ingredient, a retailer shall, before making such a sale, require and make a record of the identification of the person purchasing the product. For purposes of this section, the term, identification, means a document issued by a governmental agency that contains a description of the person or a photograph of the person, and gives the person's date of birth, such as a tribal identification card, driver license, state-issued identification card, passport, or military identification card. The retailer shall electronically submit the record of identification, including the purchaser's name, date of birth, address of purchaser, the product name, the quantity sold, the date and time of the sale, and unique identification number relating to the electronic record into the electronic record-keeping system prior to completing the sale of a product containing pseudoephedrine, ephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine unless a waiver has been granted. If a waiver is granted, the retailer shall submit written records to the Office of the Attorney General no later than the fifth day of every month. The retailer shall maintain the record of identification required by this section for two years, after which the record shall be destroyed. No retailer may use or maintain the record for any private or commercial purpose or disclose the record to any person, except as authorized by law. If the sale generates a stop-sale alert, the seller may not complete the sale unless the seller has a reasonable fear of imminent bodily harm if he or she does not complete the sale. The electronic record-keeping system shall contain an override function to the stop-sale alert for the seller to use in a situation in which a reasonable fear of imminent bodily harm is present.

Section 2. That chapter 34-20D be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as follows:

The Office of the Attorney General may provide retailers of chemical products containing pseudoephedrine, ephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine access to a real-time electronic record-keeping system to enter into the record system any transaction required by § 34-20D-8. The real-time electronic record-keeping system shall be maintained in a central repository and shall have the capability to calculate state and federal ephedrine base, pseudoephedrine base, and phenylpropanolamine base purchase limitations. The electronic record-keeping system shall include a record of all the information obtained under section 1 of this Act and the unique identification number, type, and state of issue. The Office of the Attorney General may contract with a private vendor to implement this section. A contractor shall comply with the confidentiality requirements of this chapter and is subject to sanctions for violation of confidentiality requirements, including termination of the contract. No cost may be assessed to the retailer associated with the implementation, access, continuation, or maintenance of the electronic record-keeping system.

Section 3. That chapter 34-20D be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as follows:

The attorney general may grant a retailer a waiver pursuant to section 1 of this Act if the retailer demonstrates that the electronic reporting will cause the retailer an undue economic hardship or that the retailer does not have the technological ability to report electronically. If a waiver is granted, the retailer shall disclose the record, upon request, to a law enforcement agency for a law enforcement purpose.

Section 4. That chapter 34-20D be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as follows:

The attorney general may grant other South Dakota law enforcement agencies access to the

electronic record-keeping system for the purpose of investigating any violation of this chapter.

An Act to revise certain provisions relating to pseudoephedrine, ephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine sales.

=====

I certify that the attached Act
originated in the

SENATE as Bill No. 24

Secretary of the Senate
=====

President of the Senate

Attest:

Secretary of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Attest:

Chief Clerk

Senate Bill No. 24
File No. _____
Chapter No. _____

=====

Received at this Executive Office
this _____ day of _____ ,

20____ at _____ M.

By _____
for the Governor
=====

The attached Act is hereby
approved this _____ day of
_____, A.D., 20____

Governor
=====

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,
ss.

Office of the Secretary of State

Filed _____, 20____
at _____ o'clock __ M.

Secretary of State

By _____
Asst. Secretary of State